Addend. to the Note at p. 319.

I thought it proper to add the following Paſſage taken out of the Journal-Book of the *Royal Society*, ſuppoſing it to be what Mr. *Oldenburgh* hints at in his Letter.

" *Nov.* 16, 1671. [Sir *Robert Moray*] exhibited a certain Plant, " (which was by Mr. *Wray* called *Lichen terreſtris cinereus*) ſaid by " Sir *Robert Moray* to be very good to cure *Dogs bitten by mad Dogs:* " His Royal Highneſs having cauſed it to be given to a whole Kennel " of Dogs, bitten by a mad one, which were all cured, except one of " them, to whom none of it was given."

The Specimen was kept in the Repoſitory.

The ſame Virtue is likewiſe aſcribed to this Plant, in the *Third Part* of *Moriſon's Plantar. Hiſtor. Oxon.* publiſhed at *Oxford Anno* 1699. in Folio, p. 632. where the Author, ſpeaking of the *Lichen terreſtris cinereus*, *Raii Hiſt. & Synopſ.* ſays, *Adverſus morſum canis rabidi egregium eſt Medicamentum.*

Dampier, and the *College of Phyſicians*, in their *Pulv. Antilyſſus*, preſcribe equal Quantities of the *Lichen* and *Pepper:* But Dr. *Mead*, in a ſingle *Quarto Leaf* publiſhed by him *Anno* 1735. hath alter'd the Proportions of the Compoſition, preſcribing double the Quantity of *Lichen* to that of the *Pepper*. This difference in the Proportions muſt be left to the Judgment of Practitioners; but upon the Authority of another Minute in the Society's Journal-Books, it may not be improper to make an Addition to the above-mention'd *Dampier's Powder*.

" *March* 7, 1671-2. Sir *Robert Moray* mention'd, that a whole Ken- " nel of Dogs, belonging to his Royal Highneſs, were bitten by a " mad Dog, and had been lately cured by a certain Herb called *Stel-* " *laria*, or *Star of the Earth.*"

This Plant is the *Lychnis viſcoſa, flore muſcoſo Caſp. Bauhin.* in Engliſh, *Spaniſh Catch-fly*. See theſe *Tranſactions*, N° 187. where is a *Receipt to cure mad Dogs*, &c. wherein this Plant is a principal Ingredient; which Receipt, communicated by Sir *Robert Gourdon*, was there publiſhed by *his* MAJESTY's [*ſpecial*] *Command, Anno* 1687.

Wherefore, ſuppoſe the Compoſition were to be thus:

Take Aſh-colour'd Ground-Liver-wort, black Pepper, *and the Herb* Spaniſh Catch-fly, *all finely powder'd, of each two Drachms, for four Doſes, to be taken as* Dampier *preſcribes in his Letter in theſe* Tranſactions, N° 237.

ERRATUM.

P. 336. *& alibi, for* Ilion, *r.* Ilium.